

The Long Season By Jim Brosnan

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Former big league pitcher turned writer Jim Brosnan passed away last Saturday at the age of 84. Brosnan signed with the Chicago Cubs in 1946 when he was only 17, but

For the first half of the twentieth century, baseball biographies tended to be written with boys in mind, with all the depth and complexity of comic strips. Then, in

Jim Brosnan, the pitcher whose book about his 1959 season offered an uncommonly candid look at life within baseball, died last month at the age of 84.

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Good, but a little slow May 24, 2008: I enjoyed Jim Brosnan's The Long Season. I didn't think that the book was quite as good as its reputation, however.

For the former Gaelic football player and manager, see Jim Brosnan (footballer). Jim Brosnan; Pitcher: Born: October 24, 1929 and was titled The Long Season. Jul 10, 2014 Bespectacled and frequently hunched over a portable typewriter with pipe in his mouth during downtime on the road, Jim Brosnan, who pitched for the Chicago

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Jim Brosnan was a solid pitcher, most effectively in relief, for the Cubs, Cardinals, Reds, and White Sox, concluding his career in 1963 with his brief sojourn The Long Season has 171 ratings and 19 reviews. James said: My annual pre-season baseball book--to get me in the mood. The author is a highly literate

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Before there was Jerry Kramer's Instant Replay and Jim Bouton's Ball Four, there was Jim Brosnan's The Long Season. In 1959, Brosnan, a journeyman pitcher, kept

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Jul 02, 2014 Jim Brosnan, Cincinnati native, major league pitcher, author, Army veteran, husband and father has passed away. He was 84, and is survived by his three

A fine major league pitcher for several years, Jim Brosnan wrote the first honest portrayal of the life of a baseball player. The Long Season and subsequent works

I had dinner with Bob and one of his memories was of Jim Brosnan. RIP, Jim. Ron Longley South Bend In I think "The Long Season" by Jim Brosnan is hands down one

An interview with Jim Brosnan. Jim Bouton's Ball Four, were written by an obscure relief pitcher named Jim Brosnan: The Long Season (1960) and Pennant Race